IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

ZAHAVI, Avi et al

Serial no.

10/673,925

Filed

September 30, 2003

For

Examiner: Unknown

Examiner: Unknown Art Unit: 3653

PAPER PICKING AYATEM AND METHOD

Tel Aviv, Israel March 24, 2004

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This subject Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in connection with Applicant's continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56. This related art, in Applicant's opinion, constitutes the closest art of which Applicant is aware related to the invention of the above-identified application.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

REMARKS

No representation is made that more pertinent material is not available or should not be considered by the Examiner, and it is expected that the Patent and Trademark Office will conduct independently a complete search of the appropriate art.

It is respectfully requested that each document cited be given thorough consideration and that each be cited of record in the prosecution history, and if determined to be relevant, to appear on the face of the patent issuing on the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

dward Langer, At

Reg. No. 30,564

277237/1

MAR 2 4 2004

PTO/88/08A (08-03)

Appreved for use through 07/81/2009. OMB 0851-0031

U.S. Patent and Tradamak office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Resultion Act of 1888 no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a waite OMB control number.

Complete if Known

Jager the Paperwork Rei

Bubsidiule for form 1449/PTO

Sheet

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use an many chaote on necessary)

Complete il Known				
Application Number	10/673,925			
Filing Date	09/30/2003			
First Named Inventor	AVI ZAHAVI			
Art Unit	3653			
Examiner Name				
Attorney Docket Number	11756	_		

			U. S. PATENT	DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials	Cito No.	Document Number Number-Kind Gede ^{2 or brand}	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Clied Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appsar
		US- 6,164,637	12-26-2000	Harari	
		^{US-} 6,550,388	04-22-2003	McIlwraith	
		U\$-	``		
		U8-			
		US-			
		U8-			
		Us-			
		US-			
		US-			
		Úŝ-			
		U\$-			
		US-			·
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		us-	•		
		US-			
		Uā-			
·		Us-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTA						
Examiner initials*	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patenton or Applicant of Citod Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages	
		Country Code [®] Number [®] "Kind Code [®] (# known)	MM-DD-YYYY		Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	₹*
		,			,	
	1					

_ examiner :		
	Date	
Signature	Considered	

"EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 809. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered, include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Palant Documents at <a href="mailto:separation-palant:

the appropriate symbols as indicated on the obsument under virto decidence of the contract of the symbols as indicated by ST OFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiatily is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the complete application from to the USPTO. Time will very depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form antifor suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND YO: Commitseloner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.